## REMARKS

Favorable reconsideration of this application is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.

This Amendment is being submitted to address a minor inadvertent error in the amended version of Claim 7 submitted in the Amendment filed on December 20, 2006.

Also, for purposes of clarification, it is noted that the reference to U.S.

Application Publication No. 2002/018338 to Chee et al. in the first full paragraph on page 11 of the remarks section of the Amendment was intended to be a reference to U.S. Application Publication No. 2002/0183738.

Favorable consideration of this application is respectfully requested.

Should any questions arise in connection with this application or should the Examiner believe that a telephone conference with the undersigned would be helpful in resolving any remaining issues pertaining to this application the undersigned respectfully requests that he be contacted at the number indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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